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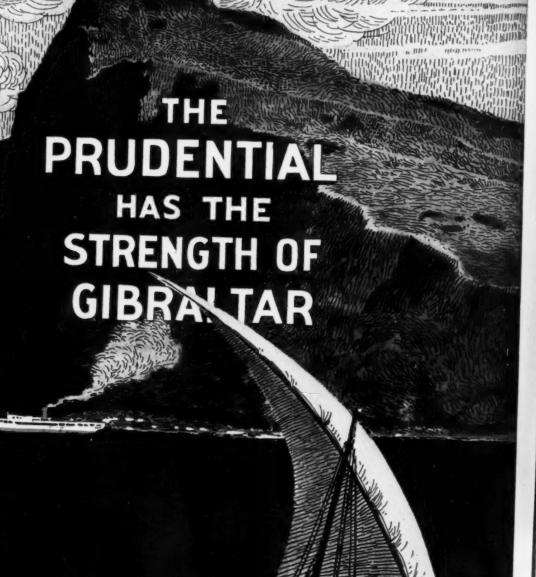
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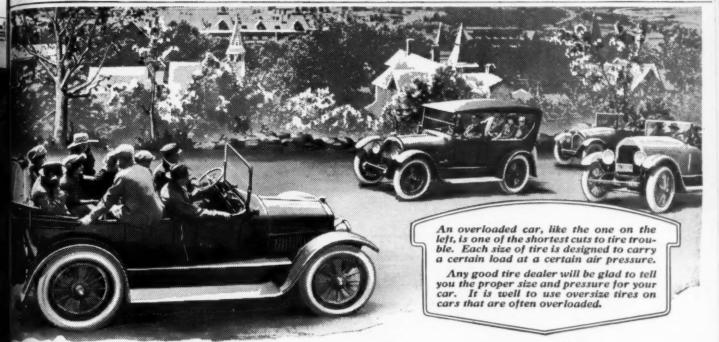
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I'm getting much disgusted;
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Seems like I cannot bear it all,
So take me anywhere at all
Away from life that's seamy
To a dreamy
Tropic spot,
Where food that fills and nourishes
Upon the bushes flourishes,
Where a tree sufficient tent is
And the rent is
Ouite forgot.

Anyhow.

I know that I should love it all
Where strikes aren't hinted of at all.
(I'm sure no man would ever
Strike who never
Worked a bit.)
Amid the woes which weary us
It seems a dream delirious,
A place I'll never hike to,
But I like to
Think of it!

Berton Braley.

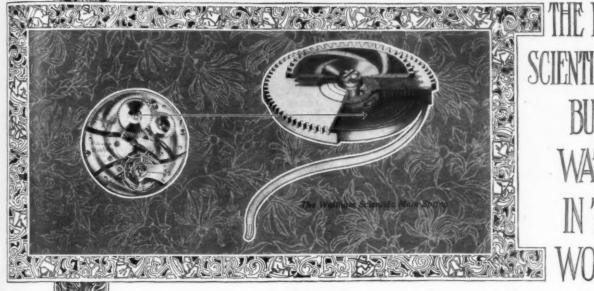


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SCENE: The locker room of a lawntennis club. Time: 1940. Enter George and Albert, the two "infant sons," in tennis flannels.

George: Well, Albert, old hippopotamus, here's a rum go. I don't know a thing about sports. You know jolly well I've been boning away at classics. If all the silly row were about an Alexandrian

ALBERT: And I've concentrated on golf. I say, this is a rum go. Here we are, due to carry on the glorious what-not of our silly sires. We'll have to offer a substitute. Hang the game—it's the spirit of competition that counts—what?

GEORGE: Right-o. The sport's the thing. What shall it be?

Albert (cagerly): You golf, don't you?

- "Don't know a bunker from a spoon."
- "Cricket?"
- "Not a crick."

## COTTES (IGARS

"Polo? Football? Badminton? Lawn bowls?"

GEORGE: Dash it all, Albert! I told you I've never gone in for sports.

"Well, you must do somethin' for recreation—"

" Chess."

"Chess! My eye! Ex-cuse, me— Not enough action."

GEORGE (dubiously): Well, then, what about bridge?

ALBERT: Oh, that's all right. Bridge it is. Three rubbers out of five? I'll telephone the umpire. (He rushes out.)

A Voice (off stage): La-dees and gentlemen, owing to a slight indisposition on the part of the infant sons, the lawntennis match has been altered. A card table will be placed in the center of the tennis lawn, and thereon, preserving the same ancient spirit of keen sportsmanship, will the sturdy sons of the glorious fathers (Cheers) battle—for the best three rubbers of five at double-dummy auction. (Albert re-enters.)

GEORGE: Good! It's settled—what! Shall we cut for deal?

Albert: Oh, let's be sportish. We'll flip for it. (He flips a coin.) Heads!

GEORGE: Tails it is. Have at you, old

Albert: May the best man win. (They exit to the lists, arm in arm.)

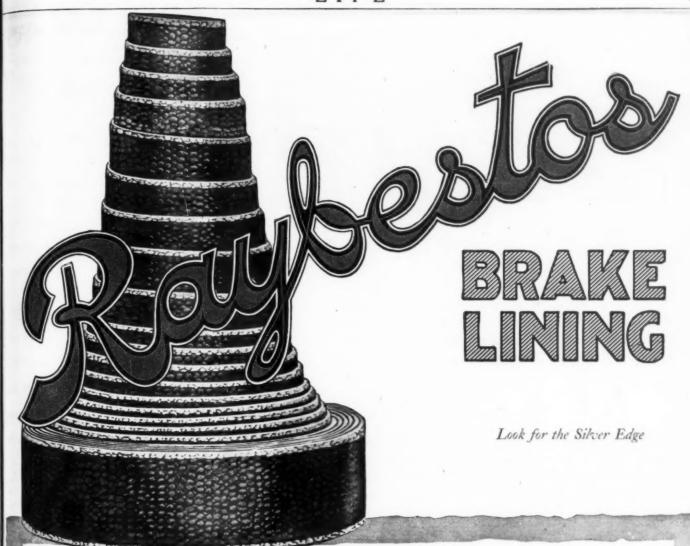
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SOCRATES was looking at the clock while his good wife discussed with herself on the front porch his latest speech on the Achæan League.

"What Athens needs," Xanthippe was saying, "is an association of nations which will enforce peace without calling on us for troops; an international court with teeth in it, which cannot interfere in matters affecting Athens; which will prevent war, but not prevent us from levying the usual tribute; which will be binding on Sparta—"

"And yet leave Athens free!" interrupted the philosopher eagerly.

Hastily clapping on his bowler he rushed to the Grove to communicate the solution to the rhetoricians.

Hence the term, "Platonic Love"—the kind that does not mean anything.

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#### The Law of Adjustment

SAID the Man with the Hoe to the Man with the Pick:

"I may be a most unintelligent hick,

But, frankly, I envy the money you've made,

For the less that you labor, the more you are paid.

I'd like to know how you accomplish the trick,"

Said the Man with the Hoe to the Man with the Pick.

Said the Man with the Pick to the Man with the Hoe:

"The way of the toiler is tedious and slow.

Just close up your farm till the middleman begs-

He'll soon pay two dollars a dozen for eggs;

For prices go up when production gets low,"

Said the Man with the Pick to the Man with the Hoe.

So the Man with the Hoe said, "I'm through with fatigue,"

And proceeded to join the Non-Partisan League;

And the obdurate middleman yielded at length—

For it seems that in union there sometimes is strength.

And the Man with the Pick, on the following day,

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Now of all those people in the lobby (maybe you were among them), there probably weren't three who had ever thought, in any such terms as that, of the complex hotel-machine they were using.

But it impressed me that there might be many of them who would find a moment's interest in getting such a behind-the-scenes glimpse of detail in the hotel's daily routine. And the reason it occurred to me, I imagine, is because we frequently find (in both the Pennsylvania and the Statler hotels) that the guest who has the best general idea of a hotel's problems is, somehow, the guest who always seems to "get the best service."

When you think of those 19,000 letters, most of them coming in during the busy eight hours of each twenty-four or something like 300 an hour—every one of them important to some-body who is making that hotel his temporary home, you may get a new

idea of how an illegible signature on our guest-register can complicate the difficulty of giving good mail-service. Of course we check every signature, with the writer, as soon as it's written—we do scores of things to prevent the little mistakes which make big troubles. But if we could just get across to our guest an inkling of how service might be affected by the legibility of his signature, or by the way his order is given, we could almost promise to keep everybody happy all the time.

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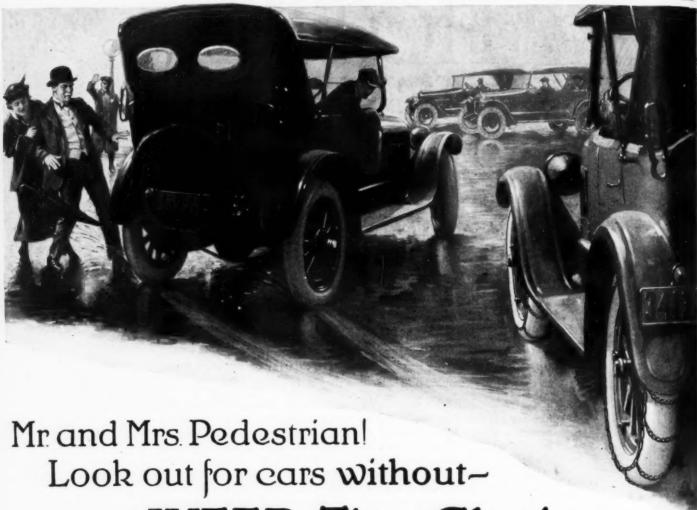
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BE VERY CAREFUL whenever you cross a slippery street in front of oncoming motor cars.

Pedestrians take it for granted that all drivers have their motor cars under perfect control and can make quick stops whenever necessary and under all circumstances.

The speed of a vehicle moving toward you is very deceiving. If the driver happens to be one of those careless fellows who so often take chances without Weed Tire Chains, you are likely to be run down. Such a type of driver is powerless to stop in an emergency. He can apply the brakes—yes—but the car will continue its forward momentum or skid over into the curb—one never knows just where it's going to land.

When you consider that motor car accidents occur even on dry streets, you must appreciate how extreme the danger of crossing before cars operating on wet and slippery streets without Weed Tire Chains.

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#### Note on Green Suits

WHY is a green suit? It is harder to answer than the simple question of why a suit is green. A suit is green because it is made that way, but a green suit is an anomaly with no apparent rea-



"THERE'S VAMPY RISQUÉ. DOESN'T HER WHITE HAIR FILM BEAUTIFULLY?"
"NO WONDER, WITH THE PAST SHE HAS BEHIND HER."

son for being except that we make mistakes.

All men buy a green suit sooner or later, but nobody has ever been known to be fond of one after he has had it a few weeks. It is not cheaper, it does not harmonize with civilized surroundings, and it is positively unbecoming to most men. Think of any friend of yours as he looks in one, and you will think of the traits you dislike in him. Yet the suit of gaudy green continues to be made in large numbers, bought as advertised and worn with purple ties. Perhaps the reason is

that the color appeals to the hopeful mood in which a man buys a new suit of clothes. Afterwards, however, it serves as a constant reminder of a moment of weakness and fatuity, and in this reaction he learns to hate the sight of his attire, refers to it as a green monstrosity, and wears it surreptitiously to the movies and on rainy days when a fit of melancholy is upon him.

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MAUD: Carol is a wonderfully clever and absorbing conversationalist. BEATRIX: She has other bad habits too.



Traveling Men Will Do These Things



LOCAL GOSSIP

Reuben Trotter didn't know Si Whipple was rabbitin' down in the swamp last Tuesday, an' Rube he wuz a-crossin' his lower pasture, an' he almost gut in range. Si shot a couple o' times quick, and Rube he started to run. He wa'n't hurt none to speak of; jest some scratches on his face where he run through the first charge of shot. Rube says he wa'n't skeered; only he figgered he oughter git out and let Si shoot without a-gittin' in the way; sed probably Si wouldn't want ter waste a lot of bird-shot on him, shot costin' so high, an' sech, so he left.

#### Misunderstood

THE savage who first lit a fire with a dry stick and dry leaves remains unknown. The individual—a very general term which implies nothing—who invented or introduced or inflicted the radiator on the world is equally obscure. Perhaps, after all, this is as well for him. Still, he inaugurated an era as much as the fire-making aboriginal. The radiator is indeed the perfect flower of the full growth of this latter-day civilization.

The radiator, though, is misunderstood, and that is the reason these lines are written. At this time, when humanitarianism is so marked, such a state of affairs is terrible. There is a cruelty in misappreciation. The radiator has suffered from this, and it should not be allowed. To be sure, there is no one who has not suffered from the radiator; but that makes no difference. The suffering would not have been so great, perhaps, with a more sympathetic consideration of the cause of it.

In the first place, anything which has worked such a great change as the radiator should be treated with respect. To swear at it is unfitting and—useless. To kick it is a still greater exhibition of bad taste and misdirected effort. One does not swear at the law of gravitation or kick it. One does not indulge in an outburst of temper in regard to the tides of the ocean or any one of the great forces and facts of nature. One is mild and meek before them, and that is the fitting attitude before the radiator, which is one of them. Not that one should exactly deify the radiator and make it wholly a fetish, as an early barbarian would have done. There is a limit beyond which humanity should not go, out of self-respect, even in regard to the radiator. Still, to place oneself on hands and knees before it, as one often does, is something which should not be neglected under the circumstances.

Science has shown a tendency to ascribe life to stone and metal, and the radiator has come really as a justification. The radiator is not inhuman, as some have considered it, but very nearly human. Imperfect, of course, like all humanity, but with a claim to be considered as having a share in a fallen humanity. That is why it is misunderstood. It is not blindly making an infernal nuisance of itself when it pounds and hammers. It is merely exercising the right to assert its personality, which is one of the standard methods of conduct of the time. Any problem play will tell you that. Really, the radiator is not trying to be unpleasant. Perhaps such noisy displays are merely fits of good humor, bits of playfulness. That is the way with the greater forces of nature. They are a bit rude, but they, too, may be misunderstood. For all we know, the earthquake may be the world's hearty laughter. Nowadays there is so much that is wonderful. When, indeed, so much is being revealed and so much is coming to us from the beyond, what is not possible and probable?

Another hypothesis: When the psychic offers such manifestations in chairs and tables, why has the radiator been overlooked? It is clearly much better equipped for serving as a means of communication than a library table or a smoking-room armchair. Its gurglings and murmurings are probably inarticulate attempts at locution. Indeed, one might almost say that one can frequently perceive and hear its efforts to address us vocally and verbally, which is more than can be affirmed of any other article of furniture in the house. Yes, yes, the radiator is misunderstood. In exactly what way, it is not altogether realized as yet, but in some way surely.

George Hibbard.



THE GIRL HE LEFT BEHIND HIM



"THAT WAS AN AWFULLY BIG TIP YOU GAVE THE WAITER, CHARLES!"

"GOT TO JOLLY HIM ALONG, DARLING. HE OWNS THE APARTMENT HOUSE WE LIVE IN.



Contributor: Here's a poem on the aurora borealis.

Sunday Editor: Can't use it. It might offend our electric-light advertisers.

#### Laggards

The increase in child labor is general throughout the Middle West, but exceptions are noted in Missouri, Kansas and North Dakota.—News item.

WHAT is the matter with Missouri, Kansas and North Dakota? Can it be that the labor performed by a child is held to be of less value in these states than in other parts of the country? Are the employers asleep, or are the children of Missouri, Kansas and North Dakota inferior to their brothers and sisters of Georgia, North Carolina and other parts of the South, where the organized energy of childhood has been turned to such profitable account? Whatever it is, the situation calls for an immediate remedy. Until the Middle West is able to report one hundred per cent. progress, child labor in this country can hardly hope to become a truly nation-wide movement.

#### A Day in California

(Is This Only a Base Libel?)

THE Californian is awakened by a Connecticut clock, and crawls out of his New Hampshire sheets. He puts on his Lowell socks, fastens his Boston garters, buttons his Brockton shoes, jerks on his Chicago suspenders on Detroit overalls, washes his face with Cincinnati soap, wipes with a Rhode Island towel, puts on a Troy collar and a Paterson necktie, and brushes his hair with a Brooklyn brush. Then he sits down to a Grand Rapids table on a Grand Rapids chair, eats Beechnut bacon from Kansas hogs, bread of Minneapolis flour with Idaho potatoes cooked with New York lard on a Detroit stove burning Pennsylvania coal. After breakfast he plows his land (covered with New York mortgages) with a Syracuse plow and a Montana horse fed with Kansas corn and Iowa hay. Or, if he can afford it, he harvests his grain with a Hoosier tractor, puts it in Atlanta sacks, ships it on Delaware cars drawn by a Philadelphia engine on Pittsburgh rails. Then when evening comes he takes a ride in his Detroit Ford or his Toledo Overland. Then he looks at his Waterbury watch and returns home. He rests a while in his Wakefield rocker, reading his Eastern magazine. Finally he lowers his Columbia shades, bathes in his Bridgeport tub, crawls under his Lowell blankets, is kept awake by sand fleas, the only home product of his native state, and plans how to fleece the Eastern tourist of his hardearned cash.

B. H. Morton.

#### Industry

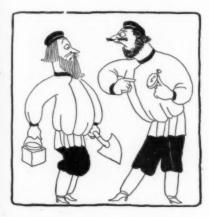
"HOW is Smith getting along these days? He always used to be putting up a kick."

"He's still putting it up-in bottles."



THE RESULT
"WILLIE, IS YOUR MOTHER AT HOME?"
"NO, SIR. SHE'S DOING JURY DUTY THIS WEEK."

#### In the Land of the Free and Equal



Comrade Boobovitch arrives for work, and is fined for being two minutes late.



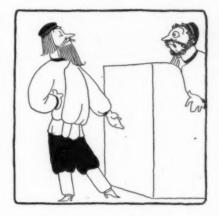
Spends the morning in happy and industrious toil.



Shares his lunch with Conrades Vodki and Bunovitch of the Red Guard.



Is fined for not applauding vigorously enough Comrade Wizzki's speech, "The Benefits of Bolshevism."



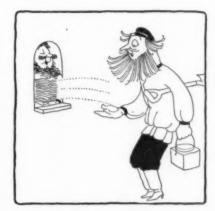
Thinking over Comrade Wizzki's remarks, he decides that a seventy-two-hour week is long enough, and strikes.



Comrade Hitoff explains that under the Soviet strikes are not permitted.



Comrade Kikinovitch pays him 56,980 roubles for his day's work.



Comrade Kikinovitch collects 56,980 roubles for the day's fines and contributions to the Sovieter.



Goes home wondering why the toilers of other countries don't throw off the terrible yoke of Capitalism.



YEARS OF DISCRETION

#### Bernice Goes to Be Finished

MOTHER: Well, I hope I have decided for the best, but I can't help being uneasy. Everybody says the school is all right. All I hope for is that she doesn't come back critical of us and extravagant. Of course, it isn't as if I couldn't trust Bernice. She would never do anything that she knows I wouldn't approve. And she will meet the daughters of some of the best families. I must speak to her about her overshoes again.

FATHER: There's no doubt about its being the best school in the country, if you can go by the price. But you can't judge a cigar that way.

BROTHER BOB: We'll have a little peace in the house now.

Bernice: I wonder if it's true that you can slip out without a chaperon once in a while. Wouldn't be any fun meeting Billy at the school during the calling hour. His roadster would be wasted. I mustn't forget to leave those overshoes on the train.

#### · A La Mode

SHOPPER: I want to get a fashionable skirt.

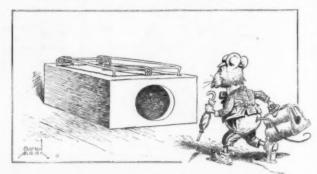
SALESLADY: Yes, madam. Will you have it too tight or too short?

#### Good Start

WILLIS: I told my wife we must begin to economize, and that she must keep account of the household expenses.

GILLIS: Is she doing it?

"She has made a start. She has bought a two-hundred-and-fifty-dollar desk, a three-hundred-dollar filing cabinet and has ordered a seven-hundred-and-fifty-dollar adding machine."



Si Mouse: This must be one of the automatic restaurants I've heard so much about



SHOWING GLOOM CAUSED BY THE TEACHER'S RESIGNATION



MRS. VAN OODLES, CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR, GIVES A TEA

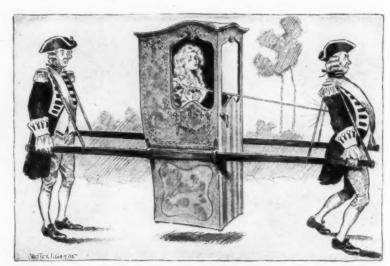
#### Revising the Old Masters

THE experts at the Budapest art museum, in restoring Jordaen's famous portrait of "Adam and Eve," painted out the beard which had previously adorned Adam's paternal countenance. Whether their action was a natural protest against whiskers as a symbol of the Bolshevik menace, or whether it was just sheer vandalism, is not disclosed in the Evening Sun's report of the outrage.

While they are about it, the eminent restorateurs might exercise their tonsorial powers on the Vandyke portraits of the cavaliers of King Charles's court, and also on da Vinci's "Last Supper" and some of Rembrandt's burgomasters; and they will find that both the "Infanta" of Velasquez and "Lady Godiva" are badly in need of hair-cuts. They might even widen the scope of their activities and remove the enigmatic smile from the "Mona Lisa."

"I'M putting on a show for the boys from France, and I want something furmy. What do you suggest?"

"Show them some battle scenes from the war movies produced while they were away."



ORIGIN OF THE SELF-STARTER

#### Ballade of Embers

BY sunburned necks and shoulders tanned;

By brisker winds and milder rays; By high-piled clouds and stubbled land; By longer nights and shorter days;

By snapping birch logs' friendly blaze; By wives returned from country cheer;

By new fur coats and closed coupés— By these signs know that fall is near.

By sporting extras closely scanned,

By dinner coats and new-born plays; By aged corn and limas canned;

By deeper blue on lakes and bays;

By skylines blurred in swimming haze; By vans piled high with household gear;

By buckwheat cakes and pork entrées— By these signs know that fall is here.

By oysters eaten all unbanned;

By wood-smoke in the forest ways; By golf where tennis held command;

By rings returned and "Noes" for "Yeas";

By heated talk and party frays; By turkey wing and roasting ear;

By somewhat less a Miss displays— By these signs know that fall is here.

#### Envoy

By evenings dim with pensive grays; By mornings brisk and cool and clear; By newer zest in God his praise—

By these signs know that fall is here.

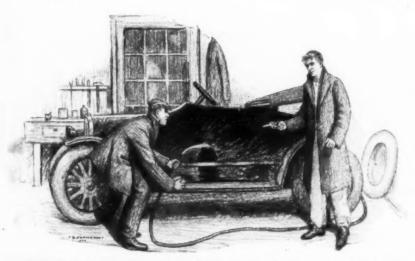
F. Gregory Hartswick.

SOME people look down on the people whom they think inferior to them.
But I look down on the people who think

they are superior to me.



Noah: OUCH! O-O-UCH! THAT'S THE SECOND TIME I'VE SAT ON ONE OF THOSE INFERNAL PORCUPINES!



To burglar whom he has caught in his garage: NOW, YOU GET BUSY AND WASH THAT CAR, OR I'LL CALL THE FOLICE

## The Process of Becoming Convinced $E_{ m phone.}^{ m VERY}$ day he called her over the telephone.

Every day she refused to see him.

But his experience with women had taught him to understand their coquetry, and he knew that her refusal was not sincere.

One morning when he telephoned she said that she would be glad to see him, but she was engaged for the day.

The next morning she was sorry to have to miss him again, but she did not have a minute free.

And the next day she wished that he had telephoned sooner, for she had just made an engagement. Would he please call again?

He did not call again.

His experience with women taught him that her refusal was sincere.



"OF ALL THE DIRTY INSULTS! THE MISSUS WUZ JIST SAYIN', 'DON'T SPEAK SO LOUD-THE SERVANTS MAY BE LISTENIN''"

#### Quite So

AFTER telling us that the infant son of Mr. Harry A. Franck was born on a British ship in a South American harbor and had therefore the option of three nationalities, the writer of a blurb in the advertising pages of the Century remarks that the kid will not be like the hero of "Warner's A Man Without a Country." Quite so. Warner's A Man Without a Country is a very good story, in no wise inferior to his Marjory Daw or to his Luck of Roaring Camp.

Last winter a contributor to the bookreview section of the Evening Post airily mentioned "Lowell's Autocrat of the Breakfast Table." Quite so, again. Lowell's Autocrat of the Breakfast Table is a charming book, although it lacks the special qualities of his Snow-Bound and his Evangeline; and it has never had the wide popularity of Howells's Scarlet Letter or of Henry James's Uncle Tom's Cabin.

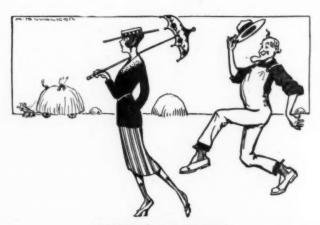
And a few weeks ago another contributor to the Evening Post, reviewing Birrell's little book on Frederick Locker, asserts that Locker's London Lyrics had not the "soaring sentimentality of Praed" or "the patchouli sweetness of Austin Dobson." Quite so, once more. In fact, this contributor might have gone farther and made bold to declare that Locker's Lyrics also lacked the illiterate monotony of Andrew Lang and the austere morality of Algernon Charles Swinburne.

These clever and knowing youngsters ought to be encouraged to advance undaunted along the trail they are blazing. Perhaps in time they will be brash enough to dissect Milton's "Hamlet" or Ben Jonson's "School for Scandal." Quite so. B. M.

#### To a Sonneteer

WRITE sonnets, if you must, my friend; ah, yes!
The exercise will ease your writing itch;
But mind the hazards and beware the ditch
Of care! ss rhyming, if you'd have success.
Maintan the rigid form; do not express
A not e thought or sound too high a pitch;
Avoid all Attic salt; leave out the rich
Harmonious tones that echo bookishness.
Not thus did Keats or Milton sound the note;
Nor thus did Shakespeare, Petrarch, sing. But, then,
They loved the songs that moderns merely quote;
They didn't write for tired business men.
But if you really write as Wordsworth wrote,
Enclose a stamp—you'll get it back again.

J. Edgar Smith.



FARMERS TAKE WARNING

WEATHER CONDITIONS: PROBABLY UNUSUALLY COOL, WITH SLIGHT FROST



WHERE DEMOCRACY HAS GONE MAD "SURE, MOTHER DEAR, I DON'T FEEL THE HUNGER A BIT!"



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WE have been trying to look upon the Republican campaign with the tolerance, and

even the sympathy, that becomes an independent journal. Life would like to say that the next best thing to voting for Cox is to vote for Harding, but if the League of Nations is really the issue in this campaign, it is hard to say so. One may doubt whether the League really is the issue. We may get into the League in course of time, whether Cox is elected or not, because the practical necessity for entering it is so compelling; but for voters who want the League even more than they want a change of administration, the only way to vote is to vote for Cox.

Governor Cox represents the right position on that issue. The Republican position, except Johnson's, is disingenuous, evasive and insupportable. Because of that, the Republican campaign runs more and more to misrepresentation. The Covenant of the League is a pretty complicated document for ordinary speakers to discuss on the stump. The Republican management has recognized that, and has boiled it all down to one proposition. Its speakers tell their audiences that the question which they are to decide is whether foreign governments shall order soldiers of this country to foreign soils to settle foreign disputes. Wanderers in the mazes of Mr. Harding's mind escape with an impression that he insists that Article X will be stronger than the Constitution if we endorse it, and will make it necessary to send American troops to fight in foreign quarrels without the consent of Congress.

Of course that is not true, and anybody who knows much about the Covenant or about the Constitution is perfectly aware that it is not true. No treaty can override the Constitution, and the Constitution provides that the President may not declare war without the consent of Congress. Besides that, the Covenant has other provisions against drawing an unwilling member into war. But the Republican managers seem to believe that the Article X bugaboo, which they are working so hard, and their general misrepresentation of the League Covenant, will last till after election, and that six weeks of it will do the job.

The Hearst papers have taught them what to say and how to say it, and they are good imitators, but their party includes a large proportion of independent voters whose moral sense is at least equal to the average, and who are liable to understand such tactics, and may revolt at them.

The trouble-one trouble-about that, is that the Republican leaders who favor the League will not break with their party candidate. They attack Mr. Harding's assertions and his position, but as yet they intend to vote for him. So it is with Mr. Taft, Mr. Strauss, Mr. Wickersham and Mr. Hoover. They all know whether Mr. Harding is telling the truth about the League; they all know whether Mr. Lodge's attitude is right or wrong; but what they think about those matters makes no difference about their votes; they expect to vote for Harding and let American participation in the League take its chances in an administration dominated by Mr. Lodge.

That is strange leadership—to talk one way and vote another! A woman sets a fine example to all these facing-both-ways statesmen. Miss Carey Thomas, president of Bryn Mawr College, got home the other day from fifteen months in Europe. She said in answer to an enquiry: "I think the woman's vote in this

country should go for the League of Nations, and to the party which stands most firmly for the League of Nations and the Peace Treaty." Being asked: "Which party is that?" she said: "Have I not made myself definite enough without going any further?"

Miss Thomas is logical. She will vote as she thinks. Let us hope that the woman-voters of the United States will pattern after her, and not after those estimable gentlemen above named who expect to vote as they don't think. If the election is going in favor of the League of Nations, it must be the women's votes that will do the job. Towards Messrs. Taft, Wickersham, Strauss and Hoover, Harding Republicans, the feelings of the For-the-League voters must be like the feelings of the Montana settler (quoted by Dr. William James) who, being confronted by a huge grizzly and about to fight him, took to his knees and prayed: "Oh, Lord, I hain't never ast ye for help, and ain't a-going to ask ye for none now. But, for pity's sake, oh, Lord; don't help the bear!"



BESIDES this cry that the League could send our men abroad to fight without their government's consent, there is another influence the Republican managers are not too proud to use, and that is the antipathy to Great Britain. The anti-British vote of this country must be pretty large just now. A large proportion of the Irish are very sore at England, and that element in the community which was lately known as pro-German is not very cordial to her. Nobody is readier to

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"JIM, QUIT TALKING ABOUT HOW MUCH THE ELEPHANT GETS. I NEVER WON A RACE ON AN EMPTY STOMACH"

profit by anti-British votes than Mr. Lodge, and possibly a certain disposition of that sort in Mr. Harding comes from him. In Mr. Harding's letter of acceptance he said he thought favorably of that detail of "America first" that would make the Panama Canal free to American ships. He spoke again on that subject at Marion on September 20th, when, as reported for the Public Ledger, he said that we gave up free passage for American ships through the Canal because President Wilson held that it "would violate the purport of an obsolete Clayton-Bulwer Treaty." So he said that a moral obligation had hindered us from doing as we chose with our own ships in our own Canal, and he didn't want to get entangled with another moral obligation in Article X.

That is more like an argument than most of Mr. Harding's remarks. But will it wash?

The Canal tolls bill was repealed because it was held to be contrary to the Hay-Pauncefote Treaty which superseded the Clayton-Bulwer Treaty of which Mr. Harding spoke, and under which the Canal was built. The Hay-Pauncefote Treaty provided that all ships should fare alike in the Panama Canal, and when Congress remitted the tolls on American ships it was held to be contrary to that provision in that Treaty. It was not a partisan matter, but President Wilson made a fight on it, and the tolls bill was repealed in his first administration. To dig this tolls matter up again will be to reopen a controversy with Great Britain on an issue in which she will have the best case, and it will damage our reputation for good faith.

Hearst will want to do it, of course. Hearst is for anything that will sow discord between the United States and England; but what of Taft, Wickersham, Hoover, Strauss, Dr. Lowell and Mrs. Reid of the Tribune? What of thousands and thousands of Republican voters who believe that in a world crisis the United States and Great Britain ought to stand reasonably near together? Will they vote for an anti-British program such as Harding is flirting with? Will they vote to break a Treaty for the sake of a commercial advantage?

Great Britain is two spirits-the spirit of the Good Old Rule, and the spirit of the Golden Rule. With the spirit of the Good Old Rule a large proportion of the political sense of this country is in conflict, but the English liberals, whose center is Manchester, are of the Celestial party, and very near in spirit to the Celestials here. They want for the world about what Mr. Wilson wanted, and tried, with some success, to get into the documents that were made at Versailles. They think that the government of Great Britain is in the hands of the worst political elements in that country: that it is a government by British Lodges. They have their political tribulations, just as we do.

But think of it! Mr. Harding, whose nerves shake at the thought that a moral obligation may get us into trouble through Article X, looks forward blithely towards violating a Treaty with England to give an advantage to American ships!



WHOEVER exploded Wall Street omitted to leave an address, so that it is difficult to puzzle out what political or social opinion, if any, the explosion was intended to emphasize. If a card had been left marked, "Compliments of Mr. Trotzky," or "With best regards of Lenine," or "From I. W. W. with love," or "This from Gene," we should have better understood what sentiment the explosion stood for. As it is, observers, at this writing, are still stumped.

There is no clue as to who did the job. It was generally accepted that a job was done, and that the explosion was not an accident, but even that conclusion may be upset. Until the cause of the explosion is known, discussion of it cannot be intelligent.



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the Best Title to this Picture



#### The Audience and Others

NO review of the first night of Mr. Belasco's "One" would be complete without mention being made of the individual performers in the audience. It was Laryngitis Night, and, as the opening of what promises to be an especially bronchial season, it will perhaps not be amiss to devote some space to the distinctive work of those who give signs of promise.

First and foremost, the laurels for the evening must go to the gentleman wearing a dinner coat and sitting in the neighborhood of G-115. Not only was he in excellent voice, but he picked his pauses with great cleverness, coughing only when impressive silences were being indulged in on the stage. One almost suspects that the gentleman had attended one or two rehearsals of the play and practiced coughing at just the psychological moment in each scene. He was never late once in picking up his cues.

A more finished performance, technically, however, was given by a large man sitting over by the stage box on the right-hand side of the house. He was practically never still, and worked in a progressive series. Starting with a low bark, he elaborated the thing until it assumed the proportions of a college cheer, ending in complete exhaustion, unfortunately only temporary. This gentleman really carried the whole burden of the steady coughing for the entire house, giving the impression of great numbers by his own individual efforts.

Good work was also done by the people sitting in C-111-112-113, M 1-3, G-7 and L-14. The rest of the house was adequate. Among the laws passed by the State Legislature we can find none making it compulsory for people who are afflicted with

coughs to attend the theatre. Managers would unquestionably be only too glad to refund their money to any bronchial-busters who find themselves, on the evening of the performance, in the clutches of an unexpected throat trouble. If the managers wouldn't do it, there would certainly be enough people in the audience who would contribute money or jewels to make up the amount.



A S for the performance on the stage, "One" is an excellent production of what would, under less favorable circumstances, be a burlesque drama of the spirit world. Miss Frances Starr, taking the dual part of twin sisters who have but one soul between them, saves the thing from being extremely funny in spots by her sympathetic acting. One hesitates to smile when it means so much to Miss Starr. But there are times when even her admirers are forced to look in an embarrassed manner toward the top of the proscenium, hoping against hope that Harry Kelley will burst in soon with his dog and say that it was all a joke.

One of these occasions is when Miss Starr, doubling in brassières, goes to the window and communes with her sister across the ocean, holding a red flower to her breast to placate the

Goddess of Chance and talking in loud tones, repeating difficult passages in the manner of one having a telephone-booth connection with New Rochelle. Although the communication is supposed to be entirely psychical, one sister has no trouble in deceiving the other by saying something out loud which she doesn't really mean. The power of the spoken word was never so clearly demonstrated.

Edward Knoblock, the author, has tried something new in psychic phenomena, and for the very trial should be commended. The idea of having twin sisters, sharing a twin soul (each being, as a noted Rialto wag remarked, "half-soled"), has never been tried before on the stage. After seeing it done as well as it possibly could be done by Miss Starr, and staged as well as it possibly could be staged by Mr. Belasco, one feels that it will never be tried again.



A NOTHER difficult thing to find fault with is William Hodge in "The Guest of Honor." The minute you start in to jeer at it, you lay yourself open to the charge of treating lightly such elementary virtues as kindness, generosity, love of little children, and a nasal intonation. John Weatherbee in "The Guest of Honor" is just the biggest-hearted, childpettingest feller you ever saw. And he says things like, "Just keep step with old Cap' Courage and you'll come out all right in the end," and his lady friend, taking the cue from him, says, "God makes the smiles, but the Devil makes the tears."

And unquestionably that is just the way it was. But somehow it isn't exactly stage talk. I guess that Frank Tinney has spoiled us.

But William Hodge acts the part he has written for himself with great ease, and although he sometimes, with his eyes shut and head thrown back, gives the impression that he is imitating Frances Starr talking with her sister three thousand miles away, he is not hard to listen to.

Neither is the play hard to understand. When the little boy runs up to the lady visitor and, looking into her eyes, says in a high voice: "Why, you look just like my muvver," the game is up. You might just as well go home then.





NEITHER will you have any trouble in diagnosing the plot of "Anna Ascends," in which Miss Alice Brady returns to the "speaking stage," as it is contemptuously called in movie circles. In fact, you yourself probably wrote a play just like "Anna Ascends" when you were a very little boy and performed it in your aunt's attic, at ten pins per seat (plus amusement tax and agent's commission). Everyone has written something like "Anna Ascends" at some time or other.

It is too bad that Miss Brady should have been treated so shabbily in the matter of material and support. She is a remarkably pleasing young lady, and could do wonders with a real part in a real play. She might well be given a great deal of singing to do also, for a snatch of Syrian song in the first act served only as a tantalizing hors d'oeuvre for the cold ricepudding which was to follow.

As the Syrian girl who rises to success in New York by means of a dictionary and a strong set of teeth with which she bites her numerous assailants, Miss Brady falls heiress to the legacy of last season's Chinese ingenues in the use of "damn" and "hell" as comedy lines. As a matter of fact, everything that she has to say is a legacy from someone, and several of

the stage settings were made in the days of rubberoid mahogany, when interior decorators, finding themselves with unoccupied space on the walls of a room, filled it with a tasty design of Scotch plaid.

Surely the speaking stage can do better for Miss Brady than "Anna Ascends."

Robert C. Benchley.



Owing to the time it takes to print LIFE, readers should verify from the daily newspapers the continuance of the attractions at the theatres mentioned.

Belasco.-" One." Reviewed in this issue. Belmont.—" Little Miss Charity." A nice little musical comedy.

Bijou. — "The Charm School." How a young man would run a girls' boarding school. You know already, but it is entertaining to see it acted.

Booth.—"Happy-Go-Lucky." A hilarious cockney play, made notable by the Samuel Stillbottle of O. P. Heggie.

Broadhurst.—" The Guest of Honor." Reviewed in this issue.

Casino.- "Honey Dew." Zimbalist music to a mediocre book.

Central. — "Poor Little Ritz Girl." A musical comedy with lots of very loud jokes. Century .- " Mecca." Notice later.

George M. Cohan .- " The Tavern." Notice later.

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Cohan and Harris.—" Welcome, Stranger."

Proposition propaganda on a "Turn to the Semitic propaganda on a "Tu Right" body. Well acted. Comedy. — "The Bad Man."

Blinn in the rôle of a charming Mexican bandit.

Cort .- " Jim Jam Jems." Notice later. Eltinge. — "Ladies' Night." A Turkish bath as the scene for just about what you

would expect. Empire.-" Call the Doctor." spoken comedy dialogue, slightly worn with

age. Forty-eighth Street. " Opportunity." Showing what Wall Street will do for a man, his wife and his money.

Frasee.-" The Woman of Bronze." Margaret Anglin in an emotional drama, for which the author of the drama may be very grateful.

Fulton.—" Enter, Madame." A light comedy of real merit, acted as it should be acted. Gaiety.-" Lightnin'." Now in its third

Garrick .- " The Treasure." Notice later. Greenwich Village .- "Three Live Ghosts." Notice later.

Hippodrome.—" Good Times." You can't go wrong unless you are blind.

Knickerbocker .- "The Sweetheart Shop." Tuneful music.

Liberty.-" The Night Boat." Last year's musical-comedy success, still churning ahead, Little.- " Marry the Poor Girl." Notice

Longacre.-" Pitter-Patter." Notice later. Lyceum.-" The Gold Diggers." Ina Claire in a highly successful comedy of chorus-girl



GEORGE ARLISS IN "POLDEKIN"

Maxine Elliott's .- " Spanish Love." Ordinary love which has been allowed to fer-

Morosco,-" The Bat." Enough crime to last an ordinary man a week condensed into one memorable evening.

Nora Bayes .- " Don't Tell." Notice later. Playhouse .- " Anna Ascends." Reviewed in this issue.

Plymouth.—" Little Old New York." Costume play of 1810. Sweet but amusing.

Princess .- " Blue Bonnet." Ernest Truex in a novelty cowboy part, much better than the play.

Punch and Judy .- " Merchants of Venus." Notice later.

Republic, - "The Lady of the Lamp." Elaborately staged dream of an opiumsmoker.

"Tickle Me." Frank Tinney, Selzevn.

surrounded by girls and music.

Shubert.—" Greenwich Village Follies." Beautiful to look at, but not so much to listen to.

Thirty-ninth Street. - " Paddy the Next Best Thing." Irish trouble.

Times Square. - " The Mirage." Notice

Vanderbilt. — "Irene." A dainty musical comedy which looks good for another twentyfive years.

Winter Garden .- " Broadway Brevities." Notice later.

"If you see it in

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#### SPELVIN BARES BIG SLUSH FUND FOR END OF WORLD

#### Truth Main Issue of Campaign Says Spelvin

#### Long-Awaited Pine Cone Address Stirs Hearers

PINE CONE, OHIO.—Thousands of members of the National Association of Fig Makers and their wives heard Col. Enos W. Spelvin, Liberal candidate for the presidency, deliver a speech the presidency, deliver a speech before thousands of members of the National Association of Fig Makers and their wives at Pine Cone Grove, Ohio, yesterday afternoon. Salvos of applause, as well as cheer upon cheer, greeted the candidate's every point.

Col. Spelvin devoted almost his entire speech to a develop-ment of his views on our foreign and domestic policy. He was enthusiastically cheered as he fell off the platform at the close of his address.

Col. Spelvin's speech was as

follows

Members of the visiting Fig-Makers' Association and ladies, God bless 'em (Laughter and applause), I am particularly glad to have this opportunity of addressing you this afternoon, because I feel that we are on the verge of a great national awak-

ening.

"I am not afraid to say this, because I know in my innermost heart that I am in the right.

"And now let us turn to our

And now let us turn to our domestic problems. Here at home we must have justice done. I come out flatfooted for Justice, regardless of the taunts of my opponents. If I am offending any of you here by this statement, I am sorry. It cannot be helped. I was brought up to be

outspoken.
"This, in brief, is my stand.
I point to it with pride."



Informal portraits of Enos W. Spelvin snapped at Police Headquarters shortly before he started to serve his third term in office

#### Arab Troupe Visits Spelvin

#### Tumblers Proffer Aid to Cause

RUMBLE, OHIO. - A troup of fifteen tumbling Bedouins visited the home of Enos W. Spelvin, Liberal candidate for the presidency, at Rumble, Ohio, yester-day afternoon, to assure him of uay atternoon, to assure him of their co-operation in his cam-paign. They were accompanied by their rubbers and trainers, who also expressed high admira-tion for the condition

tion for the candidate.

Assembled on the lawn of Col. Spelvin's residence, the Oriental visitors so arranged themselves as to form the letters S-P-E-L-V-I-N, the three tumblers who were left over making an Ameri-can eagle. Col. Spelvin ex-pressed himself as delighted with the sincere and artistic demonstration on the part of his well-wishers. In a short speech of welcome, he reminded them that he had always stood for justice and a square deal for tumbling Bedouins, and that they could count on him if he should be elected.

#### Two Hurt in Odd Crash

#### Victim Supports Spelvin

Two men were hurt and possibly many others injured when a taxicab driving northeast along Fifty-seventh Street collided with a mail truck traveling due south on Park Row.

The known injured are John Swivel, widow, of 1920 Myrtle Avenue, Brooklyn; suffering from severe contusions of left eyebrow.

Marcus Minsk, florist, of Nome, Alaska; suffering from tonsi-

litis.

The men were engaged in a political argument in East Orange, N. J., at the time of the col-lision, and although it is not yet known what this had to do with the case, the drivers of both vehicles are being held pending investigation.

It need hardly be added that Mr. Minsk, who is alleged to have won the fight, is a keen supporter of Enos W. Spelvin for the presidency, and is sponsor for the statement that for the statement that the Eighteenth Amendment, as at present constituted, is an insult to the patriotic sensibilities of every right-thinking American.

#### Reds Double Cross Bug

#### Spelvin's Speech Aids Poles

As a result of Col. Spelvin's recent anti-Bolshevist utterances, the demoralized Red army crossed the river Bug in two places to-day, according to a report from the Assassinated Press. and engaged the Poles at Blwr-pfzsclmpfsczl. The result of the battle will not be known until the name of the locality has been

#### \* Second Day Advent Ring Back of Blatch Says Colonel

Political circles throughout the country are in a high state of excitement over the astonishing and damaging disclosures made by Enos W. Spelvin, Liberal candidate for the presidency, in his speech before the Tatnuck Grange at Tatnuck, Ohio, last night, in which he accused Luther M. Blatch, the Demagogic candidate, of collecting a gigantic campaign fund from the ranks of the Second Day Adventists, a religious sect which is attempting to exploit the end excitement over the astonishing is attempting to exploit the end of the world.

of the world.

According to Col. Spelvin, evidence has been collected, and is now on file at Liberal headquarters, showing that during the months of July and August no less than two written appeals were sent out by George H. Gish, chairman of the Demagogic National Committee, urging all Second Day Adventists to rally to the Demagogic standrally to the Demagogic standard and to pay up their dues in the national association. This evidence will be produced at the proper time, according to Col.

Spelvin. News Is Bombshell

The news of these disclosures ame like a bombshell in the came like a bombshell in the Demagogic camp, and caused a sudden shift in the itinerary laid out for Maj. Blatch's whirlwind tour in behalf of his candidacy. It is rumored that, instead of going to Chicago as planned, Major Blatch will avoid stopping at the Windy City, where anti-Second Day Adventist feeling is said to run particularly high.

George H. Gish, Demagogic national chairman, when interviewed at Demagogic headquar-

viewed at Demagogic headquar-ters last night, issued the fol-

ters last night, issued the following statement:

"It has been called to my attention that Col. Spelvin has made certain charges concerning the Demagogic campaign fund. Although I have not as yet read them, I may say that they are too silly to be answered. This is merely a smoke-screen thrown out by the Liberal party to obscure their own subservience to the moneyed interests of the the moneyed interests of the country, proof of which I shall submit to the public in due time. I have nothing further to say, except that there is a certain pawnbroker in St. Louis who could tell a great deal about Col. Spelvin and a diamond stickpin which was mysteriously lost by a dinner guest of the Colonel's several weeks ago."

#### LATEST

BASEBALL WHITE ROX-DUBS GAME

WHITE ROX-DUBS GAME
(Continued from Nineteenth Page)
NINTH INNING—White Rox: McNiff fanned; Willis whiffed; Fauntleroy breezed. Eight hits. Six runs.
Dubs: Glutz hit a home run over the center-field bleachers, but was
retired on a fast double play—Diddle to Dumm to Diddle to Dumm to Diddle. No hits. Eleven runs.
Final score—White Rox, o; Dubs, o.
After the game the players of both teams announced that they would
vote for Spelvin for President. The umpires intend to support Blatch.

RACING

RACING

FOURTH RACE—1, Diabetes; 2, Sheer Waste; 3, Home Hootch.
Diabetes carried 118 pounds up, including a Spelvin campaign button
worn by Schmall, the jockey pftpftpftshshshshsh\* [\$\%:\epsilon\*:

BIG \$2.0000000 FIRE IN EAST ST. LOUIS Blaze sweeps downtown districts when crowd is set on fire by Spelvin's oratory shrdlu

#### Training the Moving-Vanguard

IT is reported that there is to be an appalling shortage of moving-vans, and this at the zenith of the moving-van season. This will necessitate strike-breaking methods and the employment of amateur moving-men. All those loyal citizens wishing to prepare themselves to take the place of the delinquent movers will report at the nearest armory and enlist in the following training courses in subjects hitherto deemed essential to a successful transportation of furniture from flat to van and vice versa.

Chipping and Jamming, 1a—Includes the carrying of delicate pieces of furniture through doors in such a manner as to chip off pieces from all four corners, and jamming heavy pieces against projecting masonry or, if possible, against other furniture.

Gunny-Sacking, 2c — The wrapping of furniture with light upholstery in very dirty gunny-sack, covering all portions except the polished woodwork.

Marching—This course is an elementary one, and includes the rhythmic tramping up and down stairs in single file, breathing heavily and, when possible, alcoholically.

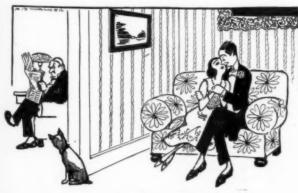
Ceiling-Work—Large articles are carried up and down stairs on the shoulders, care being taken to gouge out plaster from the overhanging portion of the ceiling.

Under-Tones, 2b—The use of undertone conversation, one to another, designed to give the owner the impression that his furniture is being made the subject of unfavorable comment. As a subsidiary course to this one, Profanity, 3a, is offered, including short and pungent oaths, analytical blasphemy, and the theory and practice of indiscriminate cursing.

Crating - For packers only. In this



"CAN'T YOU GET YOUR OWN VALET BACK?"
"HEAVENS, NO! HE SAID HE WAS LOOKING FOR ONE HIMSELF."



THE WATCH DOG

WATCH HIS TAIL. AT THE APPROACH OF ANY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY IT WILL WAG

course the candidate is taught to crate furniture so that it will be impossible to uncrate it without breaking it up into its component parts.

Insimulation (Gentle and Heavy)—By means of which the mover makes it known that the time has come for a dispensation of largess, the largess the better,

Lunching—Covering the art of making the lunch-hour last an hour and three-quarters. Candidates taking this course should previously have taken

Conversation, B—Which covers all classes of dilatory conversation, including personal badinage, light wrestling and pushing, and two-part humming.

R. C. B.

#### Pittsburg?

"HOW do you keep in such good physical condition, old man?"
"Lots of exercise. I personally brush all the soot from my coat, waistcoat, overcoat, collars and trousers every morning."



THE WOMAN IN THE SQUIRREL COAT

#### A Phrase Book for Flappers

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"OH, my dear!"—Slightly shop-worn, but still an indispensable standby in the Flappanese patois. Always effective as a means of introducing a particularly ripe bit of gossip. Very récherché.

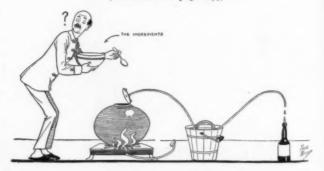
"You don't know the half of it, dearie."—This is perfectly great on almost any occasion whatsoever, being especially applicable when delivered in reply to the remark, "I hear you had some party last night." Should be accompanied by a slight but expressive elevation of the right eyebrow, an equally expressive depression of the left eyelid, and a faint intake of breath at the conclusion of the final word.

"How do you get that way?"—Should be delivered petulantly, and accompanied by that bewitching little pout that you have rehearsed so assiduously before your triplicate mirror at home.

"Another good man gone wrong." - This has been set to

music, and we advise you not to attempt it unless you have learned the tune. Should be sung in a dolefully minor key whenever someone announces that a young gentleman of your acquaintance has become engaged to be married. It will "go over big" and get a good laugh—just you see if it won't. But be sure to place the accent on the word "good."

"How perfectly ridiculum!"—Awfully cute, and rather clever, too. A good way to get your mother's "angora" (i. e. "goat") when she refuses, right before some of your boy friends, to let you go unchaperoned to dinner at a nearby road
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OFT IN THE DISTILLY NIGHT



## What makes engineering authority

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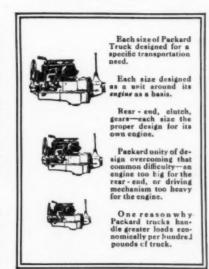
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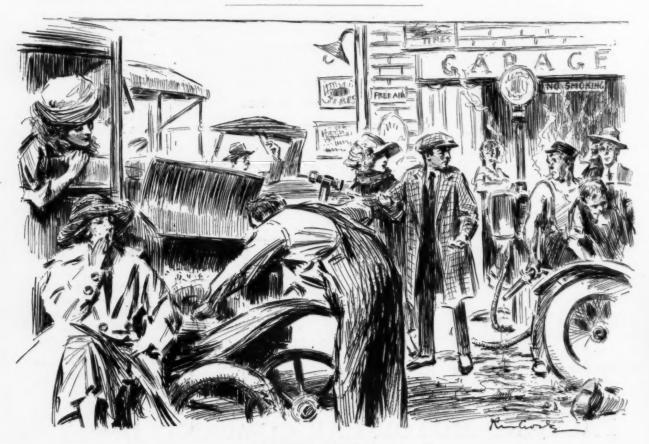
nothing but the competing title and the name and address of the sender, plainly written, all on the same sheet.

Titles will be judged by three members of Life's Editorial Staff, and their decision will be final.

Titles may be original or may be a quotation from some well-known author. Contestants may send in more than one title.

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### Identification

A neighbor, seeing the seven-year-old daughter of a geologist playing with a bedraggled but cherished kitten, asked what her pet was called.

"Well," replied the precocious youngster, "that depends. Father calls her a segregation from an intrusive magma of doubtful genesis; mother refers to her as the basement complex; sister Helen insists that she is a typical example of secondary impoverishment; but I just call her my dear little kitty."-Boston Transcript.

"THE characteristic of the age is craven credulity," said Disraeli-in 1864. He was right; and it was the characteristic of all the ages that went before him, and of all the time that has come after.

-Boston Transcript.



44 THIS IS MIGHTY FINE WHISKY, WHERE IN THE WORLD DO YOU GET SUCH GOOD STUFF? '

"THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY, MY BOY, IF YOU WANT IT RIGHT. I GET THIS FROM A REVENUE OFFICER IN THE BUSINESS."

### Some Prayer!

A celebrated revivalist came to address his flock, and before he began to speak the pastor said: "Brother Jones, before you begins this discourse, there are some powerful bad negroes in this here congregation, and I want to pray for you," which he did in this fashion:

"O Lord, gives Brother Jones the eye of the eagle, that he may see sin from afar, Glue his ear to the gospel telephone, and connect him with the central skies. Hluminate his brow with a brightness that will make the fires of hell look like a tallow candle. Nail his hands to the gospel plough, and bow his head in some lonesome valley where prayer is much wanted to be said, and annoint him all over with the kerosene oil of Thy salvation and set him afire."

-Congressional Record.

"THERE'S a lady up in front who wants to buy an Oriental vase," said the curiodealer's assistant.

"Does she look as if she had money?"

"Yes, but she doesn't look as if she'd had it long.'

"Good. I'll wait on her myself."

-Birmingham Age-Herald.

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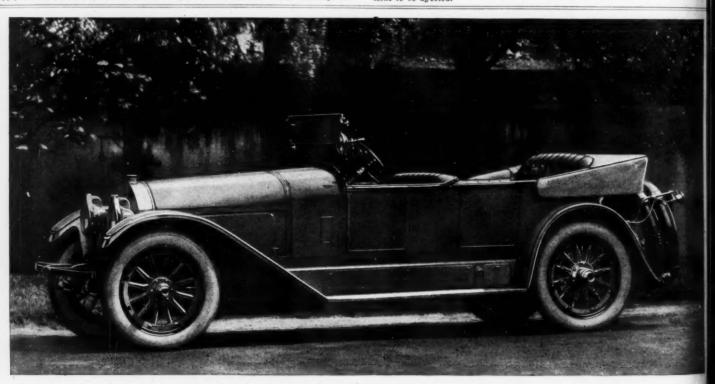
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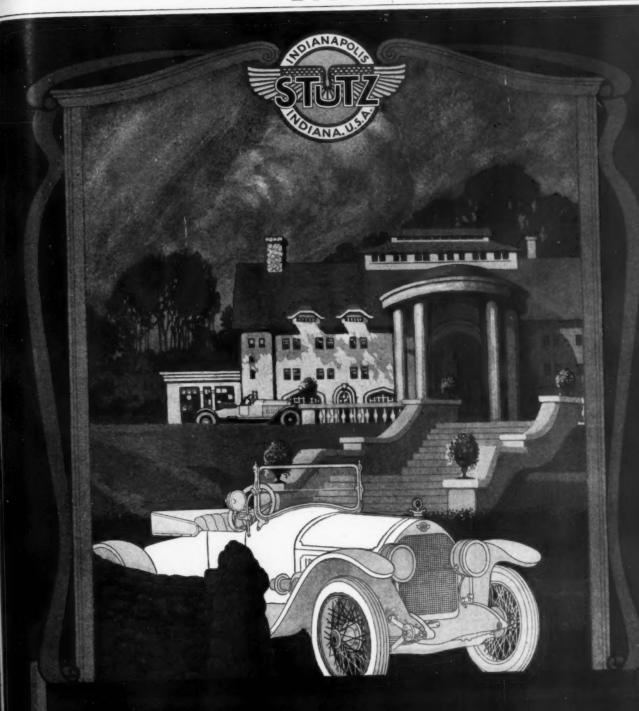
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### A Close Call

Two Chinese sought to settle a difference about a missing dog, before an American judge in a far-western township. Neither could speak a word of English (or American), so the impatient judge asked the interpreter to find out what kind of a dog it was. The question was put, and the Chinaman replied something like this:

"Yung kln a ho chkngy yoo fuwl ee hi ksky la; seelwik'ho yng pung hi eeklskcoofllee ynung hoo; tsi ti foo bwlfki hi png beela kski la boonyung hi kski ja—"

At this juncture the judge interrupted brusquely and demanded of the interpreter again what kind of a dog the trouble was all about.

The interpreter replied: "A black dog, Your Honor."

"Thank you," said the judge, awarding damages to whichever of the disputants understood him first; adding: "And see here, young feller, it's a good thing for you it wasn't a black-and-tan."—Sketch.

### A Crown of Sorrow

A Tokepa woman says the worst sensation is that feeling of "growing old" when one is asked to chaperon a party of "young folks" when there are several in the party older than the chaperon is.

-Kansas City Star.

It used to be good fun to be extravagant, but now that it is compulsory it isn't so funny.—Boston Transcript.

### In the Old Days

"Mr. Flivver, I'm Tony, your old barkeeper. I'm out of a job, and..."

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-Louisville Courier-Journal.

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O LITTLE lane of Arcady— Across the pits of infamy-I hear you subtly calling me. Her feet have trod you just of late: And in this vast mundanity I long, with taut intensity, To follow in her wake. But see-You could not bear my blundering weight!

My feet-not made for narrow ways-My eyes-not lent to saintly gaze-My heart-not geared to endless days-Have all conspired against my will. I dare not try to cross you, lest You fall-unequal to the test: And I, with timor manifest, Keep eyes upon the gap you fill.

As long as you stretch, shining, on-My hope is not completely gone!

(Al Si-rat (the road) is a narrow bridge extending from this world to the next, over the abyss of hell. Its breadth is less than the thread of a famished spider.") Joseph Andrew Galahad.



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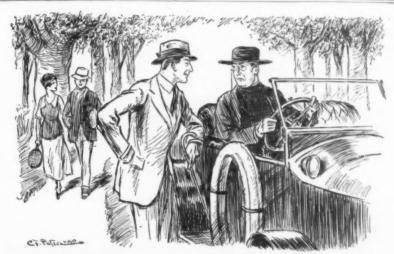
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### The Prodigal Prince

THE Prince of Wales had intended to stop off at India in the course of his travels around the world, but was forced, upon the earnest advice of British officials there, to cancel his visit. It was felt that the acknowledged coldness among the natives toward the British royal house might result in manifestations of open hostility.

This seems to be a mistaken attitude. The Prince of Wales came to the United States, where, thanks to Irish and German propaganda, anti-British feeling was running pretty high, and he scored a personal success far greater than that attained by any others of the distinguished guests who have come among us in such

profusion of late; and this list includes Eamonn De Valera and Archbishop Mannix.

The Prince is an attractive young gentleman of pleasing appearance and engaging personality, and it is probable that he could accomplish more than anyone else in the way of disarming hostile sentiment in India. Moreover, his record on many fronts in the great war is sufficient evidence of the fact that he would not be greatly disturbed by whatever signs of animosity the natives might display.

In any event, he will do nothing to relieve the situation by staying away.

R. E. S.

### Souls

THE Soul (abjured by Scorners
Who think the Soul a Fad)
Is full of little corners
You'd never dream it had.

And in those deep recesses
A martyr's zeal may lurk,
Or else, where no one guesses,
A modicum of Turk.

My Soul is fond of talking, My Soul is full of song; So when I go out walking I take my Soul along.

My Soul is all discretion;
But Souls of lesser grace
Too often need repression—
They have not learned their place.

And Souls unduly soulful
Are transcendental bores;
While preachy Souls make doleful
Companions out-of-doors,

And hence the Earnest Student
Who feels an urge to roam,
May find it wise or prudent
To leave his Soul at home.

Arthur Guilerman,

## Lift off Corns with Fingers

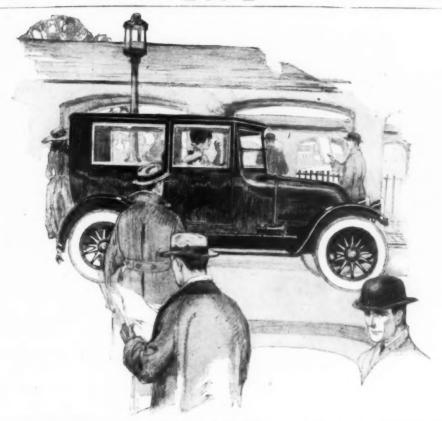
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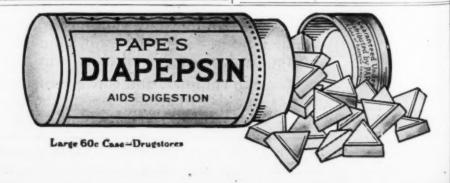
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"YOUR son goes to Yale, does he not?"

"Well, he's enrolled at Yale, but he goes to New York."



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What critics think.
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Is green and pink,
And a woman's smile seductive
Rendered in his style destructive
Would drive a Prohibitionist to drink

I picture him (or her)
A figure quaint
Who lunches, as it were,
On tubes of paint,
With a purple leer ecstatic
In a blue and orange attic,

While he swallows palette knives without restraint. George Mitchell.

STATISTICS show that only five milion six hundred thousand persons paid income taxes this year.

Which proves conclusively that an overwhelming majority of our one hundred and ten million citizens are happy, contented, and have comparatively nothing to worry about.



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And having, for the nonce, nowhere to put them, he sends them to Life and wonders if they mightn't be useful as fillers.

Merry Christmas!

As ever,

C. D. MORLEY.

THE amusing (or do we mean deplorable?) feature of a presidential campaign is that none of the energumens believe what they say, nor do they even expect the public to believe them. When the New York Tribune remarked the other day (speaking of Calvin Coolidge), "Not since Abraham Lincoln has any American distilled so much thinking into so few words," it was writing (of course) with its linotype in its cheek. We could think, without furious expense of intellectual vitamines, of quite a few Americans who could give Cal Coolidge adverbs and participles. To go no farther afield than the Tribune office itself, how about Franklin P. Adams?

. . . Quite a number of Senator Harding's verbal infelicities have already become classic. But commuters in these parts will probably crown with the lasting parsley his definition of neighborliness given to the good folks of Huntington, Indiana. "We are neighbors," said Mr. Harding. "We are linked by the Erie Railroad."

\* \* \* Four hundred and twenty-seven killed in New York by automobiles in eight months.

—News item.

When old friend Mathus was worrying about over-population he did not foresee world wars or motor cars as solutions of the problem.

I propose, said the writer of mystery stories, to write a tale called The Riddle of the Frosted Chocolate.

Yes? Well, what is the riddle?

The riddle is, how the deuce do the drug stores have the nerve to charge twentyeight cents for the darn stuff?

. . . Every now and then the course of our affairs brings us in contact with pistachio ice cream at a luncheon or dinner table where it would be rude to decline. We do . our duty; but we remember, privately, Oscar Wilde's story of the artist's model who married a street-vendor of penny ices. A painter for whom she had frequently posed sent her a handsome wedding present, and she wrote to express her thanks. She added this cautionary postscript: Never eat the green

No doubt you noticed that Governor Cox's throat went bad just about the time they began to insist on his explaining his stand on the Prohibition matter.

. . . It is agreeable to know that England is also troubled with writers of the Develop Your Personality school. One of these is



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When a man stops us on the street and says, in a hoarse whisper, "Have you any old clothes you want to sell?" we can never make up our mind whether he is complimenting or insulting.

Our idea of a simple-minded galoot is the fellow who thinks that those little glass cupboards in the barber shops, which are always marked "Sterilizer," are or could possibly be used to sterilize anything.

Hank Ford is keeping so quiet these days that we can't help wondering if he isn't getting ready to raise the price of flivvers.

John Bull must heartily wish that he had only half as much "British gold" as Hearst gives him credit for.

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THERE is a certain disadvantage in a candidate's limiting himself to his own front porch as a rostrum from which to speak to the country. It means that his actual audience must likewise be limited to those natives or nomads who happen to be in, for instance, Marion, Ohio, on that particular afternoon.

Thus, if Senator Harding feels that the time is ripe for him to disclose his attitude on budget reform, he may find that the audience assembled on his front lawn is made up of a band of gypsies, a delegation of visiting blacksmiths from Ira, Ohio, and several hundred loyal neighbors who have been sticking around every afternoon since the campaign started. They may all be glad to hear the great man talk, but will the question of budget reform stir them to any sincere demonstration?

We read an account in the newspapers the other day of an address made by the senator to a marine band from the Great Lakes Naval Training Station which had come to serenade him. Unfortunately the entertainment committee had slipped up somewhere, and the speaker was not quite sure whether the band was composed of sailors or marines; so he had to give both branches of the service due credit in his opening remarks. But the real message that he had to bring to the musicians was one of sincerity and honesty in pub-

### "They WORK while you sleep"



Best Laxative for Men, Women and Children. 10, 25, 50c—drugstores. the affairs, and not one dissenting voice among the boys is recorded. It is almost certain, however, that they enjoyed the musical parts of the program more. Who wouldn't?

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Thus we may expect to read the following news notes as the campaign pro-

"The need for an international court for the mediation of judicable disputes among the nations of the world was urged upon a class of boys and girls from the Second Methodist Episcopal Church of Marion, Ohio, by Senator Harding this afternoon. The class was holding its annual picnic on the senator's front lawn, and he took this opportunity to speak his mind on the question of our foreign relations. His remarks were greeted with shrill screams of approval by the tiny townsmen and women of the candidate."

"That the improvement of our inland waterways constitutes one of the most needed domestic reforms which the next administration will have to face was stated here to-day by Senator Harding before a delegation of employees of the Supreme Insecticide Company, who were at work spraying the trees on the Harding estate."

"An immediate deflation of our national currency, if elected, was promised by Senator. Harding this afternoon to a group of performers from the McCurdle Brothers circus, which is playing Marion this week. A review of the means by which inflation has been brought about, and a few specific remedies for the serious condition in which our banking system now finds itself, were features of the address."

"I SUPPOSE the cottage did you good."
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The ordinary tooth paste does not end film. So, despite all brushing, much film remains, to cause stain, tartar, germ troubles and decay.

It is the film-coat that discolors, not the teeth. Film is the basis of tartar. It holds food substance which ferments and forms acid. It holds the acid in contact with the teeth to cause decay.

Millions of germs breed in it. They, with tartar, are the chief cause of pyorrhea.

### Ways to combat it

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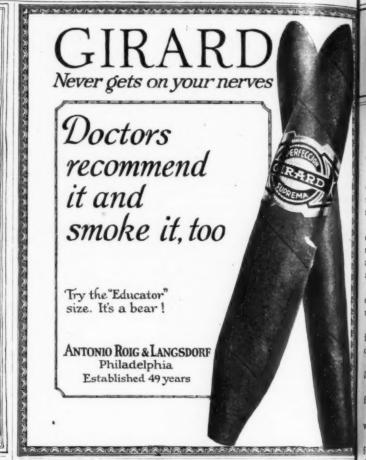
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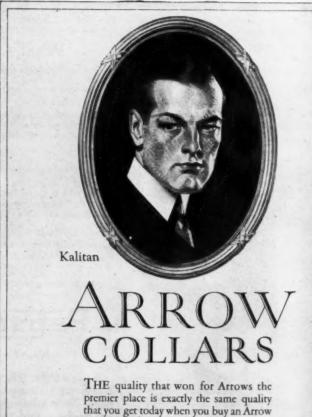
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### Hints on Etiquette

(For Plain People Recently Arrived)

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Simplicity is the keynote of gentility; exaggeration is the keystone comedy. Remember, in all probability the best pickaxe you ever owned did not have so much as a smear of gold paint upon it.

Unless otherwise indicated by the hostess, at a formal dinner, coats are not removed.

Liquids served in cups are imbibed from cups. The saucer is a mere matter of form, not convenience.

Soup is consumed piano, legato and larghetto, or eight spoonfuls to the minute. In reaching for bread, always keep one foot on the floor.

West of Suez, it is not necessary to wear a ring on each finger.

In the choice of motor vehicles, the following colors and the combination thereof are to be eschewed: orange, geranium, magenta, heliotrope, American beauty, gamboge, gold, platinum and oyster white.

If you must have baby's first shoes done over with bronze, the place for them is not in the drawing-room.

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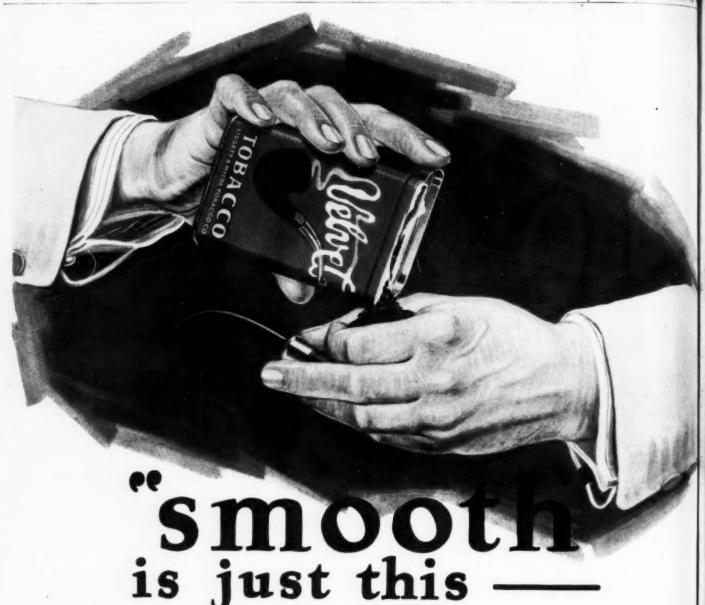


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